

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appln No.:	09/915,080	)	<b>Confirmation No. 6492</b>
Applicants:	James J. Fitzgibbon et. al	)	
Filed:	July 25, 2001	)	This Response was electronically filed on December 22, 2008 using the USPTO's EFS-Web.
For:	BARRIER MOVEMENT SYSTEM INCLUDING A COMBINED KEYPAD AND VOICE RESPONSIVE TRANSMITTER	)	
TC/A.U.:	2612	)	
Examiner:	Nabil H. Syed	)	
Docket No.:	5569-69789	)	
Customer No.:	22242	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for a two -month extension of time in the above-identified application, up to and including December 22, 2008, to make this reply timely, the due date for response being Monday, December 22, 2008, the first business day after Sunday, December 21, 2008.

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed July 21, 2008 as entered in the above-captioned matter, Applicants respectfully submit concurrently herewith a Request for Continued Examination and the following amendment and response.

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Response to Final Office Action of July 21, 2008

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.